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Mar. 31, CH 1484NO, British str., 1,949, 8. H. Bowker, Canton 3)th Murch, General,-JARDINE, MUTHESON & Co. Mar. 31, Hermes, Norwegian steamer, 849, Janson, Hongay 37th March, Coals,-A. R. MARTI.

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Kwea, Russian str., for Port Arthur.

DEPARTURES. Mar. 31. PARRAMATTA, British str., for Europe. Mar. 31, BANKOKO MARU, Jap. str., for Hongay. Mar. 31, Elsu. German str., for Chefoo. Mar. 31, GLENFALLOCH, British str., for Amoy. Mar. 31, APUNEADE, Garmanatr., for Haiphong. Mar. 31, HARLAN, French str., for Holhow. Mar. 31, Toro Maru, Japanese str., for Moji.

Mar. 31, TRYM. Norwegian str., for Chefoo. Mar. 31, GLENFARG, British str., for Shanghal. Mar. 31, OLYMPIA, American str., for Tacoma. Mar. 31, LYBE VOON, Ger. str., for Shanghai. Mar. 3 . TRITOS, Garman str., for Singapore. Mar. 31, Bungat, British str., for Shanghai. Mar. 31, Roserra. British str., for Yokohama. Mar. 31, MOVADNOCK, U.S. monitor, for Manila. Mar. 31, NEW CRE. U.S. croiser, for Manila.

April 1, MAIDZURU MARU, Jap. str., for Swatow. April 1, HAIMUN, British str., for Swatow. For further Shipping Intelligence ses Supplement.)

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Peiyang, Chwashan. TO-MORROW. General Meeting of the Hongkong Rifle Association, Volunteer Headquarters, 5.15 p.m. Inspection on board the steamer Konig Albert, Kowloon, 4 to 6 p.m.

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P.O. Bex. 33. Telaphone No. 13. DEATH. On the 31st Morch, 8:15 a.m., at the Government Civil Hospita Hongkong, ALEXANDER LAWSON

Telegraphic Address PERSE-A.B.C. Code ..

WAYMER, aged 31 years.

Hongkond, April 2nd, 1900. A citizen's hospital has been established Marila, close to the San Sebastian Church, the National Red Cross Society of America. it Europeens and Americans will receive treatment in wards separated from Asiatles.

of Burms, announcing the removal of plague ed. In the course of the evening much amusement restrictions at Barma ports against arrivals was caused by the arrival of alleged telegrams, from the ports of Kube, Hiogo, and Osaka, in the first aunouncing that after Oxford had

United States Squadron in Asiatio waters, the ment, which included some excellent songs, was United States Navy Department has decided to beep two admirals in commission with the Eastern fleet. Rear Admiral Louis Kempff, is only the second University Dinner held in who has been doing shore duty as contmandant | Hougkong, the first, in 1894, bringing together of the Navy Yard at Mare Island, Colifornia, is ordered to proceed to Mauila as second-incommand to Rear Admiral George C. Romey, recently appointed to succeed Admiral J. C. Watson as commander-in-chief of the Asiatic

At about a quarter-past nine on Saturday night a fire broke out in the dwelling house known as "The Bluff" in Plantation Road, owned by Mr. T. Gibbs, occupied by Major Morris, R.A., and partly furnished by Commonder Marray Rimacy. The house is a was given to get under cover, the only cover I wooden structure, consisting of a ground floor could find was a daisy room with a brick foundation. Major Morris was giving a dinner party when a house coolin' relead the alarm of fire. Major Morris and his

appeared on the scene.

This morning, at 11 o'clock, His Excellency the Governor will formally open the Belilios Reformatory at Causoway Bay. Dr. J. A. Lowson is appointed Acting Prin-

cipal Civil Medical Officer, with effect from the 21st instant, during the absence of Dr. J. M. -The cordiet of this year's Inter-University Boat Race—a victory by twenty lengths—is one of the biggest on record. The score new stands Oxford 32, Cambridge 24.

The total number of cases of Bubonic Plague in the Colony from 1st January to noon of the Blat March is 20, and the deaths during the period are 10. Two of the cases and two of the deaths occurred between moon of the 30th and noon of the Stat ult.

The Royal Artillery Regimental Sports are held this wook. The trial houts will be run off of the Royal Welsh Fusiliers will play on the

The last copy to hand of L'Echo de Chine announces the receipt in Shanghai of a telegram reporting the capture of General Gatacre by "Colonol" Olivier. The humourist apparently does not tire of spending other people's money on telegraphic jokes. Another furceur in L'Avenir du Tonkin remarks that " England has long tooth, but the Boers are hard to digest, and they prove it. We have nothing to complain of in this." Talk about digestion, perhaps, is hardly fortunate from those who swallow Paris. manufactured telegrams.

The Board of Trade Journal-nunounced the receipt at the Foreign Office of a despatch, dated 28th December, from H.M. Minister at Tokyo, reporting that an Imperial Ordinance, published in the "Official Gazette" of the above date, provides for the opening of the port of Itožaki, in the Province of Bingo, to foreign trade from the 1st Jane, 1910, and says that "the port has excellent accommodation, but it is not possible at present to express an opinion regarding its commercial possibilities. Itozaki Admirally chart of Japan in east longitude 133 dog. 6 and north latitude 34 deg. 24."

At the Magistracy on Salurday, before Mr. Gompertz, a Russian named Nicolos Nicolos, who is acting as assistant at the shooting gallery on the Praya near Prince's Buildings, was charged with wounding a China boy named Chang Young by shooting him on the top of the head with an air gun. P.C. Brown said that the previous day the complainant came to him and said be had been shot. He accompained him to the shooting gallery, and the defendant was pointed out us the man who had fired the shot. Witness took him into custody. The complainant was taken to the hospital and would not be able to leave before Monday. The defendant said that the injury was accidentally done. He did not mean really to do it. The case was

adjourned to Monday. Mr. Archibald Forbes, whose death we announce to-day, was the most celebrated War Correspondent of the contury-which is much the same as saying the most celebrated ever known. Born in 1838 and educated at Aberdeen, Tengths. he served some five years in the Royal Dragoous; and it was not till the Franco-Prussian War that he laid the foundation of his fame, as representative of The Daily News. He served in the same capacity through the Paris Com- a son. mune, Tirhoot Famine, three Spanish campaigns, the tour of the Prince of Wales in India, the Servian and Russo-Turkish Wars, the Afghan Red Capsule \$21.00 | campaign of 1878.9, and the Zalu War, of 1879. His books, some based on his letters to The Daily News, and others biographical and reminiscent; were numerous and popular. As a lecturer, Loo, he was known all over Britain, Australia, and America. His advancing years made it impossible for him to go to the front in

the present war. Mr. Erich Georg, comparing the out-turn from the Cunjoin mines for the last two years, arrives at the following figures:-1,601 Tons (Concentrates calcined Cyanide process

Nugget fund Tons=3,144 . Total 32,208 Ore mind..... ... Concentrates calcined* Cyanide process Tons=2.698 Total 29,206

*Included in ero mined.

The following communique has been issued by the Government of India :- The Japanese Government have agreed to the adhesion of India to the commercial freaty between Great Britain and Japan, which was signed at London on 16th July, 1891. The treaty will apply to the whole of India, including the territories of intive Princes and Chiefs who are under British suzerainty, subject to the following conditions. The reservations, which have been accepted by the Japanese Government, are the same as those proposed in all pending commerical treaties to which India is a party, viz :-(1) That discretionary power be reserved to the Indian Government to prevent any foreigner, without their consent. from residing or sojourning, coming to or travelling through India, including the territories of native Princes and Chiefs who are under British suzerainty; (2) as regards the native States of India, rights to be enjoyed by the Japanese subjects under Articles I and 3 of the treaty will be subject only to the same limitations as those which are now or may hereafter be in force with respect to European British subjects; (3) the right of appointing Consuls will be confined to seaport towns and provinces under the direct administration of the Government of India. The adherence to treaty will be provided for by a protocol to be signed by her Britannic Majesty's Minister in Japan. Meanwhile this country is

are said to be under no special restrictions in Au Oxford and Cambridge Dinner was held on Saturday night at the Hongkong Hotel, when twenty four sat down to dias. The Rt, Rev. the Bishop of Victoria was in the Chair, and Sir J. W. Carrington, C.M.G., was Vicechairman. After the toest of "The Queen had been drunk the Bishop, in proposing the teast of "Almae Matres," pointed out that of the representatives of the two Universities in this part of the world, some thirty-eight in all, the greatest number was claimed by the legal profession, next coming the Church and the Government Service, followed by the Army, Commerce, etc. Sir J. W. Carrington replied and proposed in his turn the toust of "Oxford and In the Government Gazette of the Sist ult. is Cambridge Men at the Front, which was drunk a letter from the Secretary to the Government with musical honours; Capt. Trevelyan respond-

lactually enjoying the advantages which will be

formally assured to her by treaty, as Indians

ontside the town of catching tram or best. This oncourage the promoters to make it an annual event. But for the mayordable absence of Lord was nothing to regret, and the energy of those who made the arrangements deserved all the

gratitude which it won. A Gordon Highlander, recently in hospital, describes his experiences of a recent buttle : Wo didn't see a single blooming Boer, only fall their blooming builets, and when the order

Brown mosts Jones and says casually, "Ob, had such a luncy dream last night?" Did you? guests at once rose, and discovered that the fire | says dones, manuscrently, 22 Les, says brown bad originated near the drying room. Buckels . "I decamt I died and was going up a ladder to filled with water were at ouce procured, but the heaven when an angelmet mound gave me a piece may be considered due lière on er about the 7th Hances spread with great rapidity and the pro- of chalk, saying that I must write all my saus | April. mises were seen completely guitted, nothing on a blue board when I got there." Welt, I being resound but some silver plate. The Pire | don't some anything funny in that," says the in-Brigada managed to save the out buildings, the different dones. Ah! but, says Brown, and fire burning so florooly that there was no hope I was going up the ladder, I nick you coming of saving the dwelling house by the time they down for more thath!" Then Jones goes and

TELEGRAMS.

"DAILY PRESS" SERVICE. LONDON, 80th March, 7,55 p.m. BRITISH PRISONERS TRIBUTE TO

JOUBERT. It is unofficially stated that the British officers at Pretoria sent a wreath to General Jouhert's funeral.

MESSAGE FROM THE QUEEN. Her Majesty the Queen instructed Lord Roberts to convoy to the General's widow her deep sympathy, and to say that the Briare fixed for Thursday, at 10.30 a.m. The Band tish nation have always regarded General Joubert as a gallant soldier and an honour-

> PREPARING FOR ANOTHER BATTLE.

There is a great concentration of Boor forces in the Free State fifteen miles north of Bloomfontoin.

DEATH OF AN OLD WAR CORRESPONDENT. Archibald Forbes, the celebrated-War

Correspondent, has just died. LONDON, 31st March, 4 p.m.

OPERATIONS NEAR BRANDFORT. Owing to the molestation of the burghers who have surrendered by those still in ar ma regarding its commercial possionition. Local Roberts reports, he found it necessary Union Church, who delivered a most touching C. Danenberg to drive the enemy from the kopjes lying a prayor. few miles south of Brandfort. The British troops now occupy these kopjes. Our losses during the operations were:-One officer killed, eight wounded; 10 men killed, 159

wounded, three missing. MAFEKING NEWS. The food supply is holding out well at

Mateking. LORD METHUEN'S MOVEMENTS. It is unofficially reported that Lord Methuen, Colonel Kekewich, and Lord Chesham have been ordered to return to Kimberley. UNIVERSITY BOAT RACE.

Cambridge wan the boat race by twenty

ROYAL BIRTH. The Duchess of York has given birth

REUTER'S SERVICE. LONDON, 29th March.

THE WAR .- GENERAL METHUEN'S A large force of the enemy maintained heavy fire on Warrenton all yesterday. One man was wounded and numbers of our horses

and cattle killed: THE BURIED GUNS. The British in the Free State are constantly unearthing baried guns and munitions. THE TRANSVAAL COMMAND. It is reported that President Kruger succoeds the late General Joubert as chief in

command of the Boer army. LONDON, 29th March:

TROOPS FOR RHODESIA. The transport Formosa left Delagoa Bay

the 28th ult. for Beira. It is believed that General Carrington's force goes to Rhodesia via Beira, THE LATE SIR DONALD STEWART. H.M.S. Juno has gone to Algiers of fetch the remains of the late Sir Donald Stewart.

LONDON, 30th March.

THE WAR. The Duke of Norfolk will sail for the Cape to join the Sussex mounted infantry which wa raised pursuant to the orders of Lord Roberts. General Methuen with mounted troops has returned to Kimberley from Barkly West. OLIVIER'S ESCAPE.

It appears certain that Commandant Olivier with several thousand men and many gans has reached a place of safety and is now advancing towards Kroonstadt. It is presumed that the Five or six prizes and two or three medals will condition of General French's horses prevented | be awarded. him attacking the force.

The eighth division lands at East London and proceeds to the front immediately: RUSSIAN DEMANDS IN COREA. Rassia is pressing a demand for the conces-

sion of Masampho. LAUNCH OF ANOTHER JAPAN ESE CRUISER The Japanese cruiser Ivate has been launched

LONDON, 30th March.

OBITUARY.

The death of Mr. Archibald Forbes is no. THE DELAGOA BAY AWARD. The Delagon Bay award orders Portugal to

psy Fres. 15,314,000, plus 5 per cent. interest.

LONDON, 30th March. MOVEMENTS IN OBANGE

FREE STATE. Lord Roberts reports from Bloomfontoin on Friday that, owing to the activity of the enemy n his immediate front and their hostile action Race, the second purporting to be a correction towards the burghers who have surrendered, he Owing to the increased importance of the and reversing the names. The solutal result did found it necessary to dislodge them from the Manila station and the recent additions to the not come in time for the dianer. The entertain- keptes at Keree siding to the south of Brandfort. The operations undertaken with this object were successful, under Generals Tucker and French, and, the enemy retreating on Brandfort, the British now hold the kopjus. Casualties amount to 108 killed and wounded. Reuter's correspondent at Maseru says that Suirdale, who was one of the Committee, there the Boers who returned to Ladybrand are strongly posted in the mountains, are picketing in every direction, and raiding the English

GREAT BRITAIN AND FRANCE. There is a marked improvement in the Auglo-French relations. THE UNIVERSITY SPORTS Oxford won the University sports by 6 to 4

LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS, The steamer Thords from New York left of the Trust, and he trusted that mother year, thence to Amor calm and dense fog. From Singapore ou the Sist ult. for this port and

The steamer Kumsung from Calcutta and Straits left Singapore for this port on the The N. D. L. steamer Konig Albert left | he saw one of the prizes handed to one of them. Shapghai on the Blat ult, and may be expected (Hear, hear.) here on or about Puesday, the 3rd inst, at noon,

VOLUNTEER FUNERAL YESTERDAY son) begs to seknowledge with thanks receip THE DATE PRIVATE A. L. WALKER. Over a handred members of the Hongkong of the following contributions to the above. Volunteer Corps assembled at Handquarters at | Cand half-past seven on Sanday morning for the purpose of following to their last resting pince the Law Wol Chuen ... romains of a departed comrade-Private Alexan- Stewart Bros

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Luiz d'Aranjo Roza

THE WAR RELIEF FUND.

A meeting of the subscribers to the War

Relief Fund having been called for noon

Viscount Suirdale, A.D.C., Sir Thmas Jack

Hon. R. D. Ormsby, Messrs H. Humphreys,

C. H. Galo, D. Wood, J. R. Crook, B. W

Sir Thomas Jackson read the notice calling

has come now when it behaves us to give an ac-

count of the lunds that have been collected in

Hougkoug and transmitted to London. This

community has come forward nobly in response

to the invitation to subscribe to the fund on

behalf of the widows and families of the soldiers

olways been generous in her subscriptions, and

funds will be forthcoming from us. I think

the thanks of the community are due to Sir

the collection of subscriptions, giving much

community owes its thanks to bim. and on

behalf of the community I now offer him our

thanks for his action in this matter. (Ap-

His Excellency then proceeded to read the

the generosity of the Hongkong and Shanghai

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Soldiers Families Association,

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by special request to the Lord

Mayor of London for credit of the

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Fund which provides for the relief

of Disabled Sailora and Soldiers,

March 31, Telegraphic remittance to

the Lord Mayor of London, co

Mansion House Transvaal War

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Lord Mayor's discretion, in terms

of the Special Resolution passed

on let ult., £7,309 9s. 8d. at 1/111 ... \$ 75,049,22

In conclusion, His EXCELLENCY said it was

extremely satifactory that this substantial

subscription should have been raised in this

small colony, and again thanked Sir Thomas

Jackson for the admirable way in which he had

dissolved, and this concluded the meeting

The local committee was then formally

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Haishing, from Swatow

Swatow-Thales, Wuhn, Chowfa and Woosung.

thence to port light N.W. to N.E. winds with

28th Feb. had light airs and coims with smooth [

see and cloudy weather; fog on the 31st March

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The Honorary Treasurer (Sir Thomas Jack-

der Lawson Walker, of D. Infantry Company. No mame Though he was known to be suffering from A. H. Rennie a virulent attack of typhoid fayer for about II E. Pollock a fortnight, the amount coinent that he had died | Captain & Officers, H.M.S. Victorious at about a quarter past eight on Saturday mora. Lieut, R. N. 25 at 1-11 9/16 ing came as a surprise and a shook to all who J A Chinoy know him, as they were chaging to the hope P. F. that his line physique would cuable him to pull -C. D. Wilkinson ... through. This hope was strongthened by the I. D. Smart. fact that there was an apparent improvement J. H. Cox in his condition on Priday, when his temperature went down to 103.4 from 106 registered C. C. B. the previous day. Rogret at his untimely do- T Mason ... coase is general, the regret being strongest E. Hamilton Sharp among the members of the Corps, who by close: M. D. Vanis. contact with him had learned thoroughly to ap- H. K. Erani ...

preciate his many good qualities. Mr. Walker arrived in the colony exactly two A. G. Romano years ago on Snaday. He first acted as mana. L. C. do Rozario... gor of the Dairy Farm at Pokfulum, and subsequently entered the service of the Hougkong Augusto J. do Rozario Ico Company. A native of Abordeen, he was J. J. Leiria ... but 31 years of age when he died. His father Laiz M. Atvares ... was Mujor Walker, Westside of Brux, Kild. H. J. M. Carvalho rummy, one of the leading Scotlish broaders of J. M. S. Alves polled cattle and one of the most popular and J. M. G. most highly respected mon in his county. Like L. G. d'Almado e Castro ... his father, the deceased was an enthusiastic A. M. L. Soures volunteer, belonging at home to one of the F. X. d'Almada e Castro Volunteer battalions of the Gordon Highland- Julio A. Carvalho

T. E. Ozorio ... The coffin containing the body was brought P. C. de Sousa ... up to Handquarters in a hourse and transforred to R. R. Rebarts n gun carriage. It was covered with a Union E. J. de Figueredo ... Jack and almost baried with floral tributes sout E. F. X. dos S. Romedios. by the many friends of the deconsed. The J. M. V. R. Commandant (Sir John Carrington, Kt., J. T. d'Almada e Castro ... C.M.(1.) and Major Chapman (second in com- C. A. Marques ... mand) headed the pracession. A firing party A. P. Guterres composed of members of the deceased's company A. M. P. Remedies came next, and after these the band of the E. A. de Carvalho Royal Welsh Pusiliors. The ceremony at the A. J.M. Gomes ... grave side was a most impressive oue. It was C.F. Carvalho conducted by the Rev. G. J. Williams, of the A. C. Botelho ...

BELILIOS TRUST PRIZE DISTRIBUTION. ADDRESS BY H.E. MAJOR-GENERAL

P. M. N. da Silva GASCOIGNE, O.M.G. H. E. Major-General Cascoigus, C.M. C. attended at the City Hall on Saturday afternoon for the purpose of distributing the prizes provided by, and lately awarded under, the Belilios Trust for general progress and prolicioncy in education. during 1889. His Excellency was accompanied by Mrs. Gascoigne and the Misses Gascoigne, and the Ron Captain Trofusis, A.D.C. The Rev. R. F. Cobbold presided, and he was supported by Dr. Bateson Wright and Mr. G.

The Rev. R. F. Corbond, in opening the proceedings, said that in the absence of his fellow trustees, one of whom was sugaged at the Supreme Court and the other leaving for home, it devolved upon him to introduce to them Major-General Gascogue, though he thought. he needed no introduction. They might congratulate themselves on being so henoured as to have his presence there that day. In a few moments he would ask him to distribute the prizes provided by the Belilios Trast and afterwards to address the prize-winners and their friends. The prizes were not of a very formidable nature, but they trusted they would be Saturday, the following gentleman assembled useful. Fie would read out the names of the at the Council Chamber, Government Offices: prize-winners, together with the recommends- II. E. Sir Henry Blake, G.C.M.G. (Presid

(Hon. Tronsarer), Hon. F. H. May, C.M.G., QUEEN'S COLLEGE-He Shai Wing, Chan Pak King Elias, equal, specially good charactors by class mustors as being conspicuous for H. N. Mody, R. F. Johnston, R. F. Drury. progress in general subjects (English and Ma-

DIOCESAN SCHOOL-Chai Pa Sin, 1st Cheung U Kwong, 2nd , 11 acy Ales, 3rd ; well-behaved boys, who have made remarkable progress in their studies during 1899. St. Joseph's College-Andrew Hake, Ist; good conduct; close application; progress in English, elementary mathematics, and arithmotic. Vasco Carvalho, 2nd; good conduct; stoudy application, progress in grammar, composition, and history. J. Botelhe, 3rd; good conduct, progress in class subjects generally. St. PAUL'S COLLEGE-Nip Po Naug, 1st, Li Ho Ching, 2nd, Li Ying Yan Srd; very, diligent in their studies; ever ready to carry

out our command; great progress in general subjects, during the your. BELILIOS PUBLIC SCHOOL.-Ethel Long. Ist; marked progress, especially in English and Thomas Jackson, the bon treasurer. No one arithmetic. Lily Song, 2nd; extremely diligent; knows better than myself the energy and pershead of English girls in her class. Wong severance with which he has devoted himself to ahead of English girls in her class. Wai Chun, 3rd ; persovering and painstaking; translates English home lessons into Chinese time and attention to this matter. I think the so as to better understand them. BAXTER MISSION SCHOOL-Eliza More, 1st; diffigence, helpfulness, and good conduct. Tauva Lam, 2nd; diligence in English; good

conduct. Alico Smith, 3rd; diligence and good application to her studies; example to bearders Bank in allowing the sam of \$389.09 as in and day scholars; obedient to teachers and ob. terest:-liging to companions. Emilia da Roza, 2nd; much model progress in composition; surmounted difficulties to be present at school early owing to distance of home from school. May Burrows, 3rd; a model in her class; obedi-

ent to toxchers; kind to her companions; willing to leach them what she knows. SUBSEQUENT PRIZES.

A competitive examination will be held about the close of this year. Particulars of this will. be advertised during the forthcoming month.

H. E. the Majon-General, after distribut ing the prizes, said he could assure them that it was with feelings of very great pleasure indeed that he found himself asked there to present the prizes. Mr. Cobbold had been kind enough to send him a full account of the Trust. He hardly thought the Trust was sufficiently known in Hougkong; because, certainly until he received the flattering request to present the prizes, he was nanware of the existence February 23. Subcription by the of the Trust. However, he had studied the account sont to him by Mr. Cobbold, and it seemed to him that the Trust was a most admirable one as instituted by Mr. Belilies in 1888. His only regret was that Mr. Belilios was not able to be present to hear his remarks. It was unfortunate that apparently not only Mr. Belilios but Mr. Francis and Mr. Ford, who he thought wore also trustees, were anable to be present, so that they only had the advantage of Mr. Cobbold's preseacer As far as he gathered, this Trust was instituted for the purpose of granting rewards for two purposes. The first was for saving life in the colony and the next was for the encouragement of education. From what he understood from Mr. Cobbold, there had been no application for any prize or reward for saving life, possibly because the Trust was not sufficiently, known. The other purpose, the encouragement of education, certainly commended itself most heartily to him and he should think to everyone there. There was one thing he was very much pleased to notice, and that was the reasons given why the various | managed the local fund. recipients had got prizes. The prizes were swarded not only for diligence, but also for good conduct and attention. It must be very satisfactory to the recipients of the prizes and their friends to hear the very flattering remarks made by the various school-teachers with regard to the prize-winners. It appeared that seven. out of night schools had come forward. He could only say that he trusted the fublicity given to the trust by this year's meeting would have the effect of bringing out a greater number of applicants, and also of making those who applied for the prizes work heartily to gain thora in a way which would afford thom a real feeling that they deserved them. It had been a very great pleasure to him to present the prizes. He could only say that he most heartily

congratulated all those to whom he had the benour and pleasure of presenting prizes, knowing that they had thoroughly deserved and won thom. (Applause) Dr. BATESON WEIGHT, in proposing a rota of thanks to His Excollency, referred to the Garrison School, and that no doubt His Excellency would let the school know of the existence those who attended that school would have a phance to participate in the Trust. (Hear, hour.) The Major Anguest, in roply, said he should take care that the scholers attending the Military Behool had a chance of compeling

The proceedings then terminated.

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VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB. BIXTH ATHORITO MEETING. The sixth athletic meeting in connection with the Victoria Recreation Club took place on the Hongkong Football Ground, Happy Valley, on Saturday last, in the weather, and in the prosence of a lurge unmber of spectators. Some good sport was witnessed. A. Humphreys (scratch), who won the one mile flat race last wear, when he had 100 yards start, again cumo in fire and sist earried off promier honours in the 440 yards flat race, F. II. Kew, who was first the four provious years, boing second. The three miles biovole race was a most interesting event. A. McKirdy looked like winning until near the end, but had to give way to A. R. Alves, The time was 11 124 against 8 524 Tast year. In the tug-of-war the Royal Artillery boak the Royal Welch Pusiliers, and in their turn, after tough struggle, succumbed to the Asiatio Artillery. J. R. M. Hance was the only competitor who surmounted all the obstacles in the obstacle race. The Clown's Race was won by J T Cotton, and the Band Hace by the kettledraffimer of the band of H.M.S. Consurion, which played selections of music Buring the afternoon. At the conclusion of the sports Lady Blake presented the prize. The following wore the officials: Judges-Massrs. W. Armstrong, F. Lam. HANDICAPERS.-Messre. P. Grimithuw, T. Meek, G. Holden, R.N., and (Capt.) E. G. Waymouth, R.A. CLERES OF THE COURSES -- Dr. J. A. Lowson. Mesers. M. A. A. Souza and E. W. Mitchell. STRETTERS-Mossrs G. A. Caldwell and E. M. Hazeland. TIME KEEPER-Mr. Hart Buck. 18 ft. lin.; II. C. Goorge, 17 8., 2in.

Long Jump (Three Tries) -Prize presented by Mesers David Sassoon and Co. P. H. Kaw. THROWING THE CRICKET BALL (Three Tries - Prize presented by the Hongkong Cricket Club. H.T. George, 18 feet 2 inches, 1 HIGH JUMP (Three Tries)-Prize presented by the V.R.C. J. H. Logan, 4 ft. 10 in., I. 120 YARDS FLAT RACE (HANDICAP).-First prize presented by Bir Thes. Jackson; second presented: first in each heat to run in final. First host, J. H. R. Hance, six yards start, 1; H. T. George, eight yards start, 2. Time, 12; Second hoat, F. H. Kow, scratch, 1 . R. Lapsley, six yards start, 2. Time 184 sec. Final heat, Lapsley, 1: Hance, 2:

Time 124 sec. Won easily. ORE-MILE BICYCLE RACE-First prizo, presented by Mr. Ho Tung; second prize pre-100 YARDS FLAT RACE-(CHALLENGE Cur) .- Presented by the Victoria Regrestion Club : to be wen three times; first prize, presented by Mr. R. Showan second prize presented F. H. Kew, 1, J. H. R. Hauce, 2. Time,

Two Miles Bicycla RACE .- First prize presented by the Hon. J. J. Keswick, second prize presented. A. McKirdy, scratch, 1; A. A. Alves, 90 yds, start, 2; T. Shand, 100 yds, start, 3. Time, 6 min 56 sec. HALF-MILE FLAT BACE .- First and second prize presented by Taikoo. A. Humphroys, 1, J. H. Logan, 2. Time, 2 min. 224 soc. BACK RACE (50 YARDS) .- Prize presented

W. White, 1; J. H. Gubbins, 2. 120 YARDS HURDLY RACE-First and Second prizes presented. F. H. Kew, 1; H. T. 220 YARDS FLAT RACE-First prize present ed by Commodore F. Powell, C.B., second prize presented. F. F. Kew, scratch, 1; H. T. George, 15 yards start, 2. Time, 24 1 sec. THERE-LEGGED RACE (100 yards) -Prize presented. A Humphreys and J. H. R. Hance, 1. ONE MILE PLAT RACE. First Prize, prosent by H. E. Major-Goueral W. J. Gascoigne,

C.M.G.; second prize, presented. A. Humphreys, scratch, 1; J. H. Logau, 30 yards start, 2. Time. 5 min. 231 sec. BOYS' RACE, 440 yards-Silva, I; Mocha, 2. THREE MILES' BICYCLE BACE-First prizo presented by the Hon. E. R. Betilies, C.M.G. second and third prizes presented. A. E. Alves, 180 yds. start, 1; A. A. Alves, 130 yds. start His Exceptioner said -Gontlemen, the time and A McKirdy scratch (dead heat). Time 11 HALF-MILE FLAT RACE (open to Soldiers, Sailors, and Police) - Aymbury (R.W.F.), 1 Macks, 2; Scheehan, 3, Times, 2 min. 141 sec. 410 YARDS FLAT RACE, CHALLENGE COP-To be won two years in succession before heand sailors in South Africa. Hongkong has coming the property of a competitor. First Prize, presented by Mr. H. N. Mody, Esq. Hongkong and the Eastern ports have shown second prize, presented. A. Humphreys, I that the spirit which unimated them in times H. Kew, 2. Time, 61, sec. OBSTACLE RACE - Prize presented. J. H. gone by still exists, and that whenever there is

an appeal for an object deserving support the Hauce, 1. THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NA-VIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED of the company, No. 8, Billiter Aronne, in the produce about 2,000 barrels per month. It will City of London, on Tuesday, the 13th day of be however, quite obvious to you that, as we can The Directors beg to submit the general ball burpense for labour, Lincopenus salaries, &c.,

ance sheet and profit and loss account for the too, it will pay us to increase our output and your ending 31st Docember, 1899, duly audited 150 roduce the average cost per barrel of The mot profit, including the balance. brought forward from last year, and after providing for the general ex-

penses of the current year, directors foes, income tax, interest, &c., amounts to An interim dividend of 3 per cent. on the preference shares was paid on 1st October, 1899, amounting Leaving a sum of which it is proposed to apply as follows :--

To the credit of "Purchase account of steamers ... To the credit of "Roserve and cqualisation of dividends neceunt And they recommend that there should be paid out of the profit a further dividend of 3 per cent, on the preference shares 4 dividend of 10 per cout, on the ordinary shares (£5 paid) & bonus of 3 per coul. on the ordin-

£5 per thare dalled up.

in Balfest in 1895, and, following the vecognised Inive next to no chances by sail, are practice of the company, they have disposed of fruct in the habit of leaving here in great the Ningchow, built in 1853, and the Omje, built | want of cargo, and we are thus in the matter of in 1883, which, after yours of good service, wors freight not quite at as good an advantage as

(Java) 21st March, had fresh N.E. monscomand Mr. H. D. Stewart retire by rotation, but, being moderate see from Palawan to lat. 15 N.; from oligible, offer thunselves for re-election. The auditors, Messes, John Baker and Sous The Japanese steamer Tora Mary, from Seattle | re-appointment It is proposed that the dividends shall paid both in London and the East, on the 20th March, 1900. The transfer books will be closed

from the 5th to 14th March, inclusive-The Company's floot now comprises Tone Nominal rogistar. power. Mar.: 1899. C. do in Porrello 6.457 850 300 At. Contail. IL. W. N. Lyans I. 17

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> THE GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COM-PANY, LIMITED.

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The eleventh ordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the Green Island Coment Company, Limited, was held in the offices of Messrs. Shewan, Tomes and Co., the general managers, on Saturday at noon. Mr. R. Showan presided, and the others present were -- Hou. C. P. Chater, Messrs, D. Gilies, J. R. Michael, J. H. Lewis, A. Babington, C. Ewens, G. Murray Bain, J. Orange, C. W. Dickson, Fung Wa Chuen, Yan Long Hoy, and F. J. Jorge (secretary). The CHAIRMAN said-Gontlemen, as usual, we will, with your consent, take the report and accounts, copies of which have been in your hands. for some days, as read. As you will have learned from the report, we had lower prices of cement to contend against last year, and, under these circumstances. I trust you will agree with me that the result is not bad. We would not in any case expect to do much better as we still had only the product of the Macao factory to handle, and that, as you know, has had its output improved upon until it can go no further, and having disposed of all it produced at good prices, we could do no more. We were told long ago that we were kooping our prices too high, but, as our critics belonged to that class who are just as ready to advise as as they would be to tell our Generals in South Africa how to conduct their operations there, we refused to listen to them, and are still unable to see why we should have been in a hurry to reduce prices when we were solling all we could make. I mention this not because the matter is very important, but merely to express the hope that such critics will. give as more credit for thinking of what we are doing and not judge us without full knowledge of the facts. Of course when, as at present, we find it nocessary to meet the market and to force things a little in order to make room for Concincreasing production, we shall not hesitate. to do so. The new works at Hok Un, since they started in November last, have worked without a kitch; but it will be some time yet before they can be brought up to their fall capacity, as it takes a long time to teach men. how to burn the kilns proporly. We have now four kilns burning over there, and, as quickly as we can drill enough men, we will commonce The following is the report of the Directors: on the lifth and the coalier the sixth. This will to be submitted at the annual ordinary general complete the present installation of six kilns. meeting of shareholders, to be huld at the offices | which, allowing for sloppinges, repaire to, should operate additional kilus at very little extra

Es di Coment. That is, of course, provided we can readily sall all we make. As to that I am glad to say the prospects soon very good. It is, of course, only quite recently that we have been able to attack distant markets like San Francisco, Portland (Oregon), Vancouver, India, Anstralia and even Japan, where, as you know, much chean but very worthless coment is minde but so fur the result of shipments to and enquiries in those markets are very promising, and lend us to behave that, provided we can depend upon steamship companies being not too greedy and giving us reasonably low rates of freight, we may do a large business with those places. So far as we can learn, we are now minking coment as cheaply as if not cheaper than the best made at home; our brand is admitted by atlengineers and experts, who have used it, to lie equal in quality to the very best any where, and seeing that freight to all the nearer ports around us is in our favour, we feel confident that we can find good markets for Warge and, as time goes on, stall larger production. The 8,363 60 more we make the cheaper we shall make it but of course in the laying down price at more 2510 SO distant places freight comes in as a very serious Balance to be carried to new account 5,090 11 3. item bearing most heavily on an article of such low value as coment and out of all proportion £80,989 153 to its cost. It may be said that this applies With a continuance of general activity in lequally to coment from home, but that is not so trade, the company's steamers have been fully in the case of content shipped for instance to and profitably employed during the past year, San Francisco or Australia, as conent is an old After providing for the six per cent, prefer stand by of charterers at home when hard ap successive dividends, the directors have pleasure for eargo to fill a sailer or steamer, and, as there in recommending phyment of a dividend of tent is always a great quantity of rejected stall ofper cent. for the year, and, in addition, a bonus foring at whatever it will fetch in the market, of three per cent on the ordinary shares, having lit is a common occurrence for ships to bring The floot, as heretofore, has been maintained | consignment to be sold at any price which will in thorough efficiency out of current revenue. Logos the charlerors a shilling or two over for At a substantial profit on first cost, the direct freight. Unfortunately for us, though not so tors were induced to part with the Hason, built | for the colony in general, steamers, for we

to longer equal to the requirements of the trudes | content makers at home. On the other hand Considerably after slipulated time the three we can give belter raine, us the colonies seem now steamers, contracted for in 1898, were come to be a favourite dumping ground for had coment ploted and delivered in the months of March, which has been rejected by contractors at home - June and November respectively, of last your, as unfit for their works. Besides the outlets
- June and November respectively, of last your, as unfit for their works. Besides the outlets
- The results of the voyages already made have. I have mentioned, we endering a large debeen quite satisfactory, and the ships themselves mand for pement in the colony for the building and their working have come fully up to expect of the new Naval Dock, &c. Naturally enough It will be observed that the directors have favour of the bome article, but we made special efforts to satisfy the Admiralty, both on the first cost of the fleet, notwithstanding directly and through our agents in London, as and lightning and heavy rain. Steamers in the great advance in the value of all steamer to the perfect fitness of our coment for their The following directors, Mr. David Roll and doubt in the matter. But it is not with them contract for the work, and whose representative is now on his way, out here that we have to deal. and Mr. Jamieson Elles, offer themselves for I may say that as soon as it was denown to municated with thom by wire, and have the reply from our London agents that the contractors, Mesers. Panchard, MoTapgart, Lowther & Co. wore faroundly disposed, but that we must awart the arrival of the engineer in charge of the work. If, as we trust, we may

succood in obtaining the contract for this comout, or at least a portion of what will be roquired for the new dock, it will kive us a good start, as it is estimated the works will take about 400,000 barrels in all daring the next four. years, that is to say about the whole of the pre-1895 | wont output at Mole War. What word, goutlemon, Sopt a leab I think as to this fitting. The prospect recess 660 Mar. 189) to men very knowledge kalend but it is never 150 Oct., 1894, auto to prophery unitarity on know, so I will say den Sept., Set no more on that satisfied. (Continued on page 3.)

coment, which it is. That is all, gentlemen, that occurs to me to say to you, and, unless you have any questions to ask me, I will proceed to move the adoption of the report and accounts. Mr. MICHARL-1 see that \$5,187.50 is to b placed to the reserve fund. I ask whether this is going to be mixed up with the other big reserve fund which is the capital fund-money paid by shareholders, or kept to a special reserve The CHAIRMAN-It has already been mixed

Mr MICHAEL-Why I make this remark is because in case of any falling back of the prefits I don't think it is right to full back on the capital reserve fund. The CHAIRMAN-You propose to make two

reserve funds p . No, that would not do. Mr. MICHAEL, proceeding, said that in regard to the profit and less account he found they had brought forward a balance from 1898. of \$50,317. There was no dividend last your and the chief plea was that they required the money for the works at Hok Un. The shareholders were dissatisfied. They thought that this was capitalised now. They found that it was brought forward and mixed with 1899, and it had an affect on the value of the stock. His idea was that this was unfair and anjust. He thought some other system should be adopted in future.

The CHAIRMAN said he was very much obliged to Mr. Michael for his romarks but he was beyond the facts. The matter was brought forward at the meeting last year and they could not write it down any other way. The \$50,317 he referred to was accordingly brought forward to this year's prolit and less account. It was beyond his (the Chairman's) power to after it. He could not nudo what the share-

give us any instance in which a company does not carry forward its balance of profit and loss to next year's account? I cannot understand anything else being done. He doesn't propose to do anything ofse, I believe. Mr. Michael.-In this instance not a cent was

paid to the shareholders, and instead of paying a divided it was decided to carry forward a balance which is absorbed in the company's funds, The CHAIRMAN said Mr. Michael's contontion was simply a quibble, and he was wasting the time of the meeting; Mr. Michael saw in last year's account that it was carried forward and he ought to have stated his mind at that

Mr. MICHAEL-I don't see it. The CHAIRMAN-I am much obliged to you. for expressing your opinion, but you agreed with the other shareholders last year that that should be done with the money. I cannot alter what was done last year and I am bound to deal the shareholders. (Hear, hear.) The money appears as a balance at credit of protit and loss

That money is absorbed and spout. The CHAIRMAN-I am sorry I can't satisfy you, and as Mr. Gladstone said, I am upt responsible for any understanding which God Almighty has placed in another man's head. (Laughter). I could not capitalize that as you I H. TER. say, nor do anything else than bring it forward to credit of profit and loss account: Mr. MICHAEL said they left it to the general

mangers to guide them, but at the same time they had some complaints from cortain shareholders for not giving them a dividend. the majority. Chairman would propose the adoption of the

report and accounts. MAN proposed that the report and accounts be adopted and passed as presented. Mr. G. MURRAY BAIN seconded.

Carried unanimously. Mr. Fung WA Chun, seconded by Mr. Banington, moved that Messrs Ewons, La-Sing, C. P. Chater, C. W. Dieleson and D.

Gillies be elected Consulting Committee for the Carried. Mr. G. MURRAY BAIN moved that Mossrs F. Henderson and W. H. Polts be re-elected WAH LOONG,

auditors. Mr. MICHAEL seconded and the motion was The CHAIRMAN-That is all the business, gentlemen. Dividend warrents will be issued.

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SHEWAN, TOMES & CO. General Managers. Houghoug, 30th Murch, 1900 HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY LIMITED:

NOTICE is hereby given that SCRIP this Compuny, numbered 7,165 to 7,174, and dated the 20th MAY, 1893, in the name of FUNG WA CHUN, of Hongkong, having been LOST, a New Scrip for the same will be issued after One, mouth from the date hereof. The largest and most complete Studio in and the Original Scrip will be completed by Hougkong. Established 1859: Views, the Company as null and void, and all persons Enlargements, Ivory Miniatures, Oit are hereby warned against accepting or nego. I to any address on receipt of satisfactory refer-

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12,686 - 13,18514.686 - 16.085must be PATD to the undersigned at the Offices of the Company, 38 and 40 Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkoug, on or before the 5th day of April, 1900, and Notice is also given that in the event of non-payment of such Call before the said 5th day of April, 1900, the abovementioned Shares will be liable to be forfeited.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers. Hongkong, 22nd March, 1900. THE PUNJOM MINING COMPANY, *LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the THIRD ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Off so of the Company, PRAYA CENTRAL, on SATURDAY, the 14th April, 1900, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts, to the 31st December,

Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 2nd to the 4th April, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors, W. H. GASKELL,

Secretary. Hongkong, 27th March, 1900. THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN

COMPANY, LIMITED. TOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA ORDINARY GENERAL MEET. ING of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, will be held at the Company's Offices, No. 2, Connaught ROAD, Victoria, Hongkong, on WEDNES DAY, the 18th day of April, 1900, at 12.15 o'clock in the afternoon, when the subjoined

resolutions will be proposed Should the said resolutions be passed by the required majority they will be submitted for confirmation as special resolutions to a second Extraordicary Meeting, which will be subsequently convened. 1 .- That the Capital of the Company be inoreased from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000 by

the creation of 10,000 new shares of \$50 QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. 2.-That such new shares be issued at the premium of \$25 per share and be allotted to the Shareholders of the Company in the proportion of one new share for every

two shares now held by them. 3.—That the amount due for the new shares be called up as follows, viz :--\$50 per chare on the 1st July, 1990, torank for six months' dividend out of the profile of the year 1900, and the remaining \$25 per share on the 1st October

Dated the 29th of March, 1909. By Order of the Board. EDWARD OSBORNE. Secretary.

THE CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN AND MORTGAGE COMPANY, LAMITED.

NYOTICE is hereby given that the SECOND INSTALMENT of \$5 per SHARE in respect of the 50,000 New Shares has been called. up and Holders of such Shares who have not already paid this in talment are requested to PAY the amount of such Call to the Undersigned at the Office of the Company No. 9, Praya Central, on or before the 30th APRIL.

Dated, 27th March, 1990. SHEWAN. TOMES & CO., General Managers.

HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

OTICE is hereby given that at a Meeting of the Board of Directors of the above Company, held at the Registered Office of the Company, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on Tuesday, the Twenty-seventh day of March, 1900, the following Resolutions woro passed :---1. That in pursuance of the provisions of

the Special Resolution passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 7th and confirmed on the 27th March instant and since duly registered, the sum of \$1,250,000 be withdrawn from the Ceserve Fund and be carried as of the 2nd July next to the Credit of Capital Account, each Share being credited with a sum of \$25 as paid up thereon in addition to the sun of \$50 now standing to the credit of each Share 2 .- That the balance of \$25 per Share of the Unpaid Capital of the Company be called up, and that a Call be and is hereby mode of \$25 per Share upon all the Shares of the Company, and that the Shareholders be requested to pay the same to the Company's Bankors, the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, at their promises, Queon's Road Central, on or before the 2nd day of

July, A.D. 1900. Shareholders are hereby requested to pay And Notice is also given that, in accordance with Article 34 of the Company a Article Association, interest will be conrect as from the Association, interest will be conrect as from the Neither the Capta no. the Association and Louis Louis and the Capta no. The Association of the Capta no. The Association of the Capta no. The unpaid after the 9th day of July, 1900, up the actual dates of payment of the same.

By Urder of the Board. A. SHEUTON HOOPER.

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NUTICES OF FIRMS HONGKONG AND SHANGUAL BANK-ING CORPORATION. I AURING the Temperary Absence of Six THOMAS JACKSON from Hongkong, Mc. H. M. BEVIS has been appointed

ACTING CHIEF MANAGER. N. A. SIEBS, Chairman, Board of Directors. Hongkong, 26th March, 1900. PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAD

NAVIGATION COMPANY. NOTICE. TAURING my Absence from the Colony Mr. A. M. MARSHALL will be it of the Offices of the Company aforesaid, on or CHARGE of the Company's affairs at this

H. A. RITCHIE. Superintendon/... Hongkong, 27th March, 1902. NOTICE.

HAVE This Day Authorized Mr HERBERT ALEXANDER LEAM MER'l' to SIGN my Firm per Propuration. GEO. P. LAMMERT. Hongkong, 1st March, 1909.

TAKY INTEREST and RESPONSI IVE BILLEY in the Firm of Messrs 899, and for the election of Directors and DAVID SASSOON & Co. CEASE from this FLORA SOLOMON DAVID SASSOON Bombay, 16th February, 1980. NOTICE.

> WATE beg to announce that we have VV OPĒNED a NEW BRANCH under the Name and Style of FAZULALLY, ABDULCARIM & CO., at No. 122, Wellington Street, Hongkong H. FAZULLALLY & CO. Hongkong, 30th March, 1960.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL. WITH OFFICES of this Company have This Day been TRANSFERRED from No. , Praya Central, to PRINCE'S BUILDING (1st Floor), Chater Road. JIRO ITAMI,

- Acting Manager.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Hongkong, 26th March, 1900. NOTICE OF REMOVAL. HAVE This Day REMOVED my OFFICE to the First Floor of No. 10, B BROTHERTON HARKER,

Architect, Engineer and Surveyor. Honghong, 31st March, 1900. OFFICE to the First Floor of OFFICE to the First Floor of No. 10. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL P. HAUCHENSTEIN & CO.

Hongkong, 31st March, 1900.

NOTICE. HAVE REMOVED from No. 7. Beacousand areade, where I have been TAILOR and OUTFITTER for many years, to No. 34 QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL (Old Hongkone Club) since November last, where I sti continuo business as TAILOR, OUTFITTER and DEALER in GENERAL FOREIGN ARTICLES, under the shop name of AB MEN and HING CHEONG & CO. I have nothing to do in future with the business of my old shop in No. 7. Beaconsfield Arcade, boyond &c., &c.

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VESSELS EXPROIDD.

THE AMBRICAN MAIL. The T. Y. Kesteamer America Maru, with the American Mail, left Yokohama on Tuesday, the 27th instant, at daylight, and may be expected here to day, instant, The P. M. steamer City of Peking, with Mails, Lo., left San Francisco for this port vit Honofulu, Yokobama, Loland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shunghai on the Loth ultimo. The O & O. steamer Gaclie, with Mails, &c., left San Brancisco for this port via Honolulu, Yokohama, Inland Sea, Kobo, Nagasaki, and

Shanghai on the 2 3rd ultimo. THE GANADIAN MAIL. The C. P. R. steamor Empress of India left Vancouver for Houghoug via usual ports of oall on the 26th ultime. THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL.

The E. & A. steamer Eastern, from Sydney, &c. left Port Darwin on the 24th ultimo for THE GERMAN MAIL.

. The N D. L. steamer Konig Albert, with the German Mail, left Shanghai on the let instant, and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 3rd instant. The N. D. L. stoamer Prinz Heinrich, carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 5th uttime, left Colombo on Suadsy, the 25th instant, and may be expected here on or

about Thursday, the 5th instant. THE INDIAN MAIL. The steamer Kumsang, from Calentta and Straits, left Singapore for this port on Satur-

The steamer Argell, from Europe, left Singa-The N. P stoamer Breconshire sailed from The No P. steamer Sikh left Kobe for The N. P stoamer Saint Irene sailed from

The N. P. steamer Daluyeostok sailed from Tacoina for Yokohama on the 14th ultimo. The N. C. steamer Olympia has arrived at] The Cal. & O steamer Carlisle City left Sun

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POST-OFFICE NOTICES. A MARI WILL CLOSS For Port Arthur and Vindivostook.-Per Korca, to-day, the 2nd instant; at 2.00 A.M. For Ningpo.-Per Chingkiang, to-day, the

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ching, to-day, the 2nd instant, at 5.00 P.M. Sed instant, at 11.00 A.M. For Shanghai Per Chunsang, to morrow, the 3rd instant, at 2.00 P.M. For Singapore.—Per Chwashan, to-morrow, the 3rd instant, at 3.00 P.M.

For Samshui and Wuchow .-- Per Samshui, on Thursday, the 5th instant. at 4.00 P.M. For Singapore and Bombay.-Per Urano, on Saturday, the 7th instant, at 1.30 P.M. For Samstini and Wuchow. - Per Wuchow, on Monday, the 9th instant, at 4. CO P.M. For Sanishni and Wuchow .- Per Samshui, on Thursday, the 12th instant, at 4.00 P.M. For Samshui and Wuchow.-Per Wuchow, on Monday, the 18th instant, at 4.00 P.M. For Samshui and Wuchow. - Per Samshui,

on Thursday, the 19th instant, at 4.00 P.M. MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. The German Contract Packet Konig Albert will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 4th instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Continent of Europe, and countries beyond, via Naples; to the Straits Sottlements, via Burmali, Coylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta,

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with the accounts according to the wishes of LI KWONG LOONG. I am afraid you don't grasp the difference between the itemz. Mr. MICHAEL-I can quite understand this.

The CHAIRMAN-But I could only go with Mr. G. MUREAY BAIN here asked if the There being no further questions the CHAIL.

on Monday. I thank you for your attendance.

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Agents for the Wancini Godowas

The Canadian Mail Packet Empress of China will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 4th instant, with Mails for Shanghai, Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honelula, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:-MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES

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Hougkong, 31st March, 1909. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY.

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TO-MORROW, the 3rd April. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUPPERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, 31st March, 190 OJEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Company's Steamship

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Hongkong, 15th March. 1990. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

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"NANCHANG." Captain Ballayson, will be despatched as above THE Steamship on WEDNESDAY, the 4th April. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents

Hongkong, 22nd March, 1900. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED

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" SUN IKIANG," Captain Moore, will be desputched as above on THURSDAY, the 5th April. The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. The Vessel is fitted throughout with SAIGON. SINGAPORE. Electric Light.

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"URANO." Captain P. Berberovich, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 6th April, P.M. Silk and Valuables are transhipped, on arrival at Bombay into an accelerated liner. For information as to Passage and Freight,

SANDER, WIELER & CO., Hongkong, 26th March, 1900. THE RUSSIAN EAST ASIATIC COM-PANY, LIMITED.

FOR PORT ARTHUR AND WLADI-VOSTOCK: "KOREA"

on the 28th instant, for the above ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight or Passage, apply to

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" PATHAN' will be despatched for the above port on or about 7th April. For Freight, apply to DODWELL & CO., LD.,

Transport 7th March, 1910. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

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STEAM FOR

COLOMBO, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS. CALCUTTA, DJIBOUTI, EGYPT. MARSEILLES, MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS. LONDON, HAVRE, BORD HAUX, PORTS OF BRAZIL & RIVER PLATE.

ON MONDAY, the 9th April, 1900. at 1 P.M., the Company's Steamship "TONKIN," Cartain Vaquier, with Mails Passangers, Specie and Cargo, will leave this port for MARSEILLES via ports of call WITHOUT TRANSHIPMENT Cargo and Specie will be registered for Lon-don as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the prescipal

places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on board nutil 4 P.M Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M on the Sti April (Parcels are not to be sent on board they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and Value of Packages are required. For further Particulars, apply at the Com-

pany's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, 28th March, 1900 "

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LIVERPOOL DIRECT. (Taking Cargo at London rates).

THE Company's Steamship "HECTOR," Captain Barr, will be despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 15th April. For Freight, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Hongkong, 27th March, 1900. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL. HE Company's Steamship.

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"MACHAON." Captain Unnach, will be despatched as above oa TU SDAY, the let May. For Proight, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

Hougkong, 30th March, 1900,

vessels on the beath CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY.

On 14th inst. at Noon.

On or about 5th inst.

LIMITED. FOR MANILA. THE Company's Steamship

"CHINGTU,"
Captain Williams, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 10th April The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First Class Saloon is situated for-

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A duly qualified Surgeon is carried and the Vessel is fitted throughout with Electric Light. For Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, 17th March, 1910. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY. LIMITED.

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TOYO KISHN KAISHA. TO SAN FRANCISCO VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGRONG. MEBICA MARU (via) Shanghai. Nagasaki, SATURDAY, April 14 Kobe, Inland Sea, Yo. 1900, at Noon. hama, and Honolulu)

HONGKONG MARU (via) Shanghai, Nagasaki, Tusabay, May 8. Robe, Inland Sea. Yo. (1900, at Noon, kohama, and Honolulu)

Nippon Maru (via) Shanghai, Nagasaki, [THURSDAY, May 31, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yo-1900, at Noon. Kohama, and Honolulu)

WHE Steamship "AMERICA MARU will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO VIA SHANGHAI. NAGASAKI, KOBE. INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA, and HONO. LULU, on SATURDAY, the 14th April, Crry of Poking (via) 1900, at Noon, taking Freight and Passengers for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Steamers of this line pass through the IN-LAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at HONO. LULU, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route.

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SOUTHERN PACIFIC. CENTRAL PACIFIC, SATURDAY, the 21st April, at Noon. UNION PACIFIC DENVA AND RIO GRANDE and NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAYE; also the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY on payment to C4 in addition to the regular tariff rate.

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Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M.

Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and Freight upply to the Agency of the Company Queen's Building. C. L. GORHAM.

Acting Agent Henrkong, 20th March, 1900. NATAL LINE OF STEAMERS.

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ON WEDNESDAY, the 4th day of April, 1930, at Noon, the Steamship "KONIG ALBERT," of the Novodeorscher Lloyd, Captur O. Cappurs, with MAILS. PAS-SENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port as above, Calling AT NAPLES,

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon on Monday, the 2nd April. Cargo, and Specie will be received on Board nutil 5 P.M. on Tossbay, the 3rd April, and Parcels will be received at the Agency's Office until Noon, on Tuesday, the 3rd April. Contents of Packages are required. No Parcel Receipts will be signed for less than \$2.50 and Parcels should not exceed Two Feet Cubic in Measurement.

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Hongkong, 28th March, 1900. CALIFORNIA AND ORIENTAL

STRAMSHIP COMPANY. IN CONNECTION WITH THE ATCHESON, TOPEKA AND SANTA FE RAILROAD CO.

PROPOSED SATLINGS FROM HONGKONG TO SAN DIEGO AND SAN FRANCISCO.

VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU, France TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN PORTS AND HONOLULU. THE UNITED STATES.

MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, &c. S.S. "ENERGIA" Coal2th April S.S. "CARLISLE CITY" & About 30th 3,0)2 Tons \$ S.S. "STEATHGYLE" About 10th 5,023 Tons May S.S. " BELTIAN KING" About 5th S.S. "THYRA" About 8th

THE - Steamship "ENERGIA" will be despatched for SAN DIEGO and SAN FRANCISCO via KOBE. YOKO. HAMA and HONOLULU on THURSDAY the 12th April. Through Bills of Lading, issued to any point in the United States. Cargo will be received on board until 5 P.M.

the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until the same time. All Parcels should be marked to address in full. | THE P & O. S. N. Co's Steamship Value of same is required. Consular Invoices, to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Diego, should be sent to the Company's Office, a ldressed to the Collector of Customs, San Diego.

Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Hongkong, China and Japan. Hongkon r. 23th March, 1900. U.S. MAIL LINE.

MAIL SPEAMSHIP PACIFIC COMPANY.

VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

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hai, Nagasaki, Kobe, (Tonsday, May 15. Inland Sea, Yokohama, Lat Noon. and Honolulu) CITY OF RIO DE JANSIES Y

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Hongkong, 28th March, 1900

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STEAM FOR STRAITS, CEYLON, AUSTRALIA. INDIA ADEN, EGYPT, MEDITER-KANEAN PORTS, PLYMOUTH AND LONDON. THROUGH BILLS OF LADING ISSUED FOR

BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF, CONFINENTAL AND AMERICAN PORTS. FIE Steamship Captain C. Gadd, carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for MAR-SEIGLES and LONDON DIRECT on .

SACURDAY, the 14th April, at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above Cargo and Passengers for Bombay will be transhippe I at Colombo into a steamer proceeding direct to that port. Parcets will be received at this Office witil 4 p.m. the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are required. Shippers are particularly requested to note

the terms and on litions of the Company's Bills

of Lading. For Euriber Particulars and to A. M. MARSHAUL, Acting Inperiated font. Hongkong, 2a.l-Anet, 1814)

NJIICS TO CONS GNEES NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM BOMBAY, COLOMBO, AND

Consignees of Cargo by the above-named vessel are hereby informed that their goods are being landed and planet at their risk in the Hong coay and Kowloon Wharf and Godown For furmer information as to Freight or Company's Golowas at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the

goods are landed. This Vessel brings on Cargo: -From London, ex s.s. Australia. From Australia, ex s.s. Ocsana. From Persian Gulf, ex s.s. Pachamba. Optional Cargo will be lauded here unless instructions are given to the contrary before 5 P.M. TO-DAY.

4 P.M., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever. All damaged packages must be left in the Godowns, and a cortificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no claims will be recognised.

H. A. RITCHIE,

Goods not cleared by the 6th proxime, at

Superintendent. Hougkong, 29th March, 1900. IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE Steamship

"WEIMAR." OF THE MORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. The above named steamer having arrived. Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery may be

Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M., TO DAY. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Golowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 3th Murch will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowas, where they will be

examined on THURSDAY, the 29th March, All claims must reach us before the 5th April, or they will not To recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading wilt be countersigned by the undersigned.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. MELCHERS & Co. Agents. Hongkong, 23rd March, 1900. STEAMSHIP "YARRA" COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo from London and Havre, ex s. Memphics, and Bordeaux above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks into the Godowas of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignoes before NOOR, TO-DAY, the 26th instant, re-

questing it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after MON-DAY, the 2nd April, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before the Part April, or they will not be recognised. All Damaged Packages will be examined on

MONDAY, the 2nd April, 1900, at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. de CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, 26th March, 1990.

For other Notices to Consignces see Supplement dated and Published by D. WARING SMITH, at

29, Wyndham Street, Victoria, Hongkong.

Jongkong, 15tb, March, 1900

A. S. MIHARA, Hongkong, 26th February, 1900.

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